

## XPart completes its move to Hinckley

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2014 saw another big move for XPart's operations, we faced a massive challenge when we moved our entire operation from Desford to Hinckley.

In XPart, we pride ourselves on being able to manage change, so we made our plans with confidence that we could achieve a transfer with minimal disruption to our customers. We started the transfer of parts in early May 2014, and we commenced despatch from Hinckley on June 2nd. A month later we had all our stock at Hinckley and the transfer of operations was complete.

This was a mammoth task for all involved, with over 200 truck movements required. All our team worked hard to introduce improvements in the storage of parts while always thinking of the effects on our customers and resolving the issues that did arise.

At the same time all the XPart commercial team moved into offices at the new premises and have been working there since May. We will now all benefit from closer working between the office and warehouse. It already feels like a more integrated business.

At the end of July, we held a special lunch for all, to celebrate the successful conclusion of this project.